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THE J. E. JONES LETTER

BETHEL GIRL NOTED AT BATES COLLEGE

GRANGE NEWS

BETHEL WOMEN ESCAPE SERIOUS INJURY

GORHAM NORMAL 13, GOULD 1. Gould lost its first home game of the season last Thursday when the hard hitting Gorham Normal team trounced them 13 to 1. Gerald Hallett, pitching the final game of the year for Gorham Normal School, hurled a no-hit game and struck out twelve Gould batters. The hitting feature of the game was a home run by Kellieff with two men on bases and two out in the fourth inning. Gorham Normal ab. r. h. po. a. e. Johnstone, 3b. 5 3 2 2 1 0 Hallett, p. 5 2 0 0 2 0 Lessard, 1b. 5 1 1 0 0 0 Kellieff, 2b. 3 1 1 2 1 1 Goodwin, c. 4 2 2 11 3 1 Macomber, ss. 4 0 0 2 0 1 McCollier, cf. 5 2 1 1 0 0 Harjaer, lf. 6 1 3 3 0 1 Hooper, rf. 5 1 3 3 0 1

Miss Frances Carter of Portland has returned to the Carter home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mason and daughter, Elizabeth, were in Lewiston, Monday.

Mrs. Lena Heath and family have moved into the Ellis Annex rent on Railroad Street.

Mr. Frank Kendall is at the Maine General Hospital in Portland where he is receiving treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Flint, who are at their camps in Wilson's Mills, were in town last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown and children were guests of relatives in North Stratford, N. H., Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Ring of West Paris was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall, last Thursday.

Miss Thea Hutchinson has gone to Milton, Mass., where she has employment in the family of Leslie Blake.

The Rebekahs enjoyed a fine supper Monday evening. After supper the work was exemplified on one candidate.

Mrs. C. M. Kimball of East Bethel is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. G. N. Sambora, and family.

Mr. Henry Flint has returned to his work in the post office after being confined to his home by illness for the past two weeks.

Miss Ruth Buck of Ashburnham, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Buck, and other relatives in town.

There will be an auction of farming tools and household furniture at the Merrill Bartlett farm at East Bethel, Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Master Herbert Howe had the misfortune to lose part of the index finger of his left hand last Saturday. The accident was caused by the discharge of a gun while he was inspecting.

A small but appreciative audience greeted the Anne Warner Baker Co. at Odson Hall, Tuesday evening. Those who were present enjoyed one of the finest entertainments given in this town in a long time.

Messrs. Gerald York, Kenneth Stanley, Charles Hawdon and Garard Eames went to York's Camps, Rangeley, Me., Monday, returning Tuesday. Mrs. York returned with them to attend commencement exercises at Gould Academy.

Final examinations were given on Monday and Tuesday. Wednesday was used for the final preparations for the graduating exercises to be held on Thursday morning at ten o'clock to which all friends of the school are cordially invited.

Thursday at 3:30 the Gould ball team will meet the Alumni in the last game of the season. Either Bartlett or Gould, both former Gould stars, will pitch for the Alumni, and Keniston will oppose them. This will be the last opportunity for Captain Stanley, Keniston, Corkery, Hawdon and Eames to represent Gould in athletics and they are determined to win their last contest.

GOULD TRACK MEN MAKE FINE SHOWING

The Gould track team made a fine showing at the Bates Intercollegiate meet last Saturday. They placed third in the Class C Division in which there were an unusual number of entries. In placing third, the Gould boys defeated all the teams representing Oxford County.

Philip Hamm of the Junior Class was the individual star for Gould, winning first place in the 220 yard dash. In doing this he was obliged to run the distance three times, which is a feat requiring a good deal of stamina. His running time was 24.2 sec.

Frank Keniston performed well, taking second place in the broad jump, being beaten only by a very narrow margin by Hodge of Bates. He also came out fourth in the shot put and qualified for the semi-finals in both the 25 yard dash and the 220 yard dash.

CLASSEY EVENTS

75 yard dash—1st was by Day, New Sharon; Greenleaf, Norway, 2nd; Day, 3rd. Time 8.0 sec.

200 yard dash—1st was by Burke, Livermore Falls; Keniston, Gould, 2nd; Chamberlain, Howland, 3rd. Time 23.6 sec.

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4th heat won by Dickey, Howland; Gould, 2nd; Keniston, Gould, 3rd. Time 23.6 sec.

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WRAPS HAVE FLOWING LINES; PARIS SENDS SPORTS CLOTHES

THE current of the styles in outer garments flows toward graceful lines—partly influenced by the success of the cape. This adaptable wrap began its wayward, but charming, career in the smart winter resorts and caused even coats to follow its alluring ways—hence the fad for wearing coats flung about the shoulders with the sleeves hanging loose. Then the capes, combining grace and comfort, began to grow important and now the latest word from stylists tells of cape-coats and dolmans that

old summer time comes, they seem inclined to get into sports clothes, morning, noon and night, and summer brings along so many types of these that they are well dressed for almost anything the day may bring. Comparatively few sports clothes are designed for actual sports wear—most of them seem destined for the gallery and for pastimes not at all strenuous. For instance, here are two rather dainty outfits which Paris sends over labeled "Robes de sport"—they might be as appropriately called twopieces



A Graceful Summer Wrap.

resemble them, with the capes or dolmans in all types.

Capes with regulation capes, for summer wear, like the model pictured, are made of rep, flannel, crepe, georgette and lame, but in the sheer fabrics for warm summer days the cape portion is shorter and more fanciful. Capes and the heavier crepes are the choice for coats that must provide some measure of warmth. The model shown here, if made up in may blue rep and lined with bright red crepe, or shantung, will prove dashing and useful. To mark or gray crepe will

daytime dresses, or even informal afternoon frocks. Therefore we will discuss sports clothes by leaving out actual sports wear and talking of informal clothes instead.

Pastel colors, in flannel, jersey, kid silk or rayon mixtures, or in crepe de chine, might be chosen for either of these frocks and the plaited skirt goes without saying—it is taken as a matter of course that a sports dress has a plaited skirt. In the dress at the left the jumper is decorated with bands piped with silk in a contrasting color and has an odd shaped belt fast-

ened with a bow. The bodice is draped with a belt.

Two other models are shown, one in

light blue and the other in light pink.

Both are made of rayon or rayon mixtures.

PORTO BELLO GOLD

By ARTHUR D. HOWDEN SMITH

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Howden Smith is addicted in his quiet moods to costume novels, and when one appears it is a literary event of no mean importance; but when he gets excited and lets himself go, the result is sure to be something extraordinary, as when he writes a pirate story or one of those stirring yarns about the early settlement of New York and Canada. And such a pirate story as "Porto Bello Gold!" It takes up a number of Robert Louis Stevenson's "Treasure Island" characters at points in their careers before Stevenson became acquainted with them. It was inspired by the constantly reiterated expressions of friends, wondering "why someone doesn't write a pirate story that will tell us how the treasure came to be buried on the island?" With the exception of this use of a few of the characters made famous by "R. L. S." and a few incidents which Stevenson noted merely incidentally as episodes of the past, the story is entirely Howden Smith's own. In a truly remarkable manner he has succeeded in recreating the color of the Eighteenth century and the atmosphere of Stevenson's masterpiece. The consensus of critical opinion is that "Porto Bello Gold" is a fit companion to "Treasure Island."

CHAPTER I

—1—

My Father's Secret.

I was in the counting room, talking with Peter Corliss, the chief of our traders—he was that very day come down river from the Iroquois country—when the boy, Darby, ran in from the street.

"The Bristol packet is in, Master Ormerod, by as ——," accounded a pirate.

He perceived who accompanied my father. Off came his hat, and he made an awkward bow.

"I remember I laughed at the combination of awe and delight in his face. He was a raw, bog-trotting bit of gossoon we had bought at the last landing of bonded folk, and he talked with a brogue that thickened whenever he grew excited.

"For the packet, I do not doubt you, Darby," I answered. "But you must show me the pirate."

Peter Corliss chuckled in his quiet, rumbling way, his huge belly wiggling before him beneath his buckskin hunting shirt, for all the world like a monster mold of jelly.

"Ja, ja, show us der pirates," he jeered.

Darby flared up in a burst of Irish temper that matched his tangled red hair.

"I would I were a pirate and had you at my mercy, you butter tub," he raged. "I'll warrant you'd tread the plank!"

"Darby," said I, "have you done the errand my father set you?"

"Every one," answered he.

"Very well. Then get you into the storeroom and sort over the pelts Peter fetched in."

He flung off with a scowl as I turned to Peter.

"My father will wish to know the packet arrived," I said. "Will you go with me to the governor's? The council must be on the point of breaking up, for they have been sitting since noon."

Peter heaved his enormous body erect. And I marveled, as always after a period of absence, at his proportions. To one who did not know him he seemed a butter tub of a man, as Darby had called him—a mass of tallow, fat limbs, a pork barrel of a trunk, a fat slab of a face upon which showed tiny, insignificant features grotesquely at variance with the rest of his bulk. His little eyes peered innocently between rolls of fat which all but masked them. His nose was a minuscule dab, above a mouth a child might have owned.

But under his layers of blubber were concealed muscles of forged steel, and he was capable of the agility of a catamount. The man had not lived on the frontier who could face him barehanded and escape.

"In," he said simply. "We go."

He stood his musket in a corner and slipped off powder horn and shot pouch the while I donned hat and greatcoat, for the air was still chilly, and there was a scum of snow on the ground. We passed out into Pearl street and walked westward to Hanover square, and there on the farther side of the square I spied my father, with Governor Clinton and Lieutenant Collier.

And it made my heart warm to see how these and several other gentlemen hung upon his words. There had been those who slandered him during the uproar over the '45, for I was known to have been a Jacobite in his youth, but his friends were more powerful than his enemies, and I joy to think that he was not the least influential of those of our leaders who held New York loyal to King George when many were for casting in our fortunes with the Pretender.

He saw Peter and me as we approached and waved up to him, but at the same moment there was a slight disturbance on the eastward side of the square, and another little group of men came into view surrounding a grizzled, ruddy-cheeked old fellow, whose salt-stained blue coat spoke as eloquently of the sea as did his rolling gait. I could hear his hoarse, roaring voice clear across the square.

"Cran him topside down; —— my eyes, I did; and when I get to port what do I find, but not a king's shill within?"

My father interrupted him:

"What's this, Captain Farraday? Do you speak of being chased? I had thought we were at peace with the world."

Captain Farraday discarded the listeners who had attended him so far and stamped across the square, belowing his answer in tones which brought shopkeepers to their doors and women's heads from upper windows.

"Chased? That I was, Master Ormerod, by as ——," accounded a pirate.

He perceived who accompanied my father. Off came his hat, and he made an awkward bow.

"Your servant, your excellency! My day is the counting room, talking with Peter Corliss, the chief of our traders—he was that very day come down river from the Iroquois country—when the boy, Darby, ran in from the street.

"The Bristol packet is in, Master Ormerod," he cried. "And, oh, sir, the watermen do say there be a pirate ship off the Book!"

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most as if he sought to peer beyond the future.

"No—yes—I do not know."

He broke off abruptly.

"Peter, I am glad you are here," he added.

"Ja," said Peter vacantly.

"You have not looked at your letters yet," I reminded him.

"I have no occasion to," he retorted.

"There is that which—but the street is no place for such conversation. Come home, my boy; come home."

Darby McGraw met us at the door, his wild gaze I knew him to be half expecting to see the pirates to have the far savages from us! You have told me of him yourself, as hath Master Collier. 'Twas he whom you and Corliss and the Iroquois fought when you broke down the barriers of the Doom trail and won back the fur trade to our people. Why, 'twas then you—you—"

I knew the deep feeling my father still had for my long-dead mother, and I scrupled to stir his memories. He himself took the words from my lips.

"Yes, 'twas then I came to love your mother. She—she was not such as you would expect to find allied by any ties with so great a scoundrel. But she was his niece—past doubt, Robert.

She was a Kerr of Fernside; her mother had been Murray's sister. Kerr and Murray were out together in the '15; Kerr fell at Sheriffmuir. His widow died not long afterward, and Murray took poor walt Marjory.

"He did well by her—there's no denying that. But he always intended to use her to further his own designs. He had a cold eye for the future, with no thought except of his own advantage, and if I—But there's no need to go into that. You know, Robert, how Corliss and the Seneca chief, Tawannears—he who is now the Guardian of the Western Door of the Long House—and I were able to smash that vast power Murray had built up on the frontier.

"We smashed him so utterly, discrediting him too, withal, that he was obliged to flee the province; and even his friends, the French, would have none of him—at least, aboveboard. I have always favored him still served their interests at large; for he is at bottom a most fanatical Jacobite, and eke sincere in a queer, twisted way. Ay, there is that about him which is difficult to understand, Robert. Himself, he hath no hesitation in believing he serves high purposes of state in all he does."

"Only a madman could lay claim to serving the state as a pirate," I objected.

"You speak with overconfidence," rebuked my father. "There are men alive today who can remember when Morgan and Davis and Dampier and many another brave fellow of the same kidney lived by piracy and served the king at one and the same time. Some of 'em were hung in the end, and Morgan died a knight. It can be done."

"How?"

"Consider, my boy! Murray—your great-uncle mind you!—is a Jacobite. For our present government he hath only hatred and contempt. Any means by which that government was undermined would seem to him justifiable, no adding to bring about its downfall. Look to the fantastic humor of the man in naming his step the Royal James!"

"It had thought him dead—strange if he 'dups up again here in a prahle' I had never thought to face—mayhap I exaggerate—it cannot have significance for us—Cetera, is must be

"We are not," my father answered curtly. "This is a matter of which you know nothing, Robert, because until now there has been no occasion for you to know of it."

He hesitated.

"Peter," he went on, "must we tell the boy?"

"He is not a boy; he is a man," said Peter.

I dashed my gratitude to the fat Dutchman in a smile, but he paid no attention. My father, too, seemed to forget me. He strode up and down the room, hands under the skirts of his coat, head bowed in thought. Tags of phrases escaped his lips:

"I had thought him dead—strange if he 'dups up again here in a prahle' I had never thought to face—mayhap I exaggerate—it cannot have significance for us—Cetera, is must be

"Neen, he comes for a purpose," interrupted Peter.

My father stayed his walk in front of Peter by the fireplace, wherein blazed a heap of elm logs.

"Who do you fancy this Captain Rip Rap to be, Peter? Speak up! You were right when you said Robert is no longer a boy. If there is danger here, he deserves to know of it."

"He is Murray," replied Corliss, his squeaking voice an incongruous contrast with his immense bulk.

"Andrew Murray," mused my father. "Aye, 'twould be he. I have 'sape-tell' him all these years. But it is a prahle fit to be a king's prahle for certain. But I made sure when he failed to show himself after the last war that Providence had attended to him. It seems I was wrong."

Captain Farraday stamped off to the George, a tall tail of the era, at his heels, and I gazed at myself in the mirror. I was a tall, thin, gaunt youth, with a face like a hawk's, and a mouth like a hawk's.

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He reacted up to the rack over the fireplace and selected a long clay pipe, which he stuffed with tobacco while I was recovering from my astonishment.

"Your uncle?" I gasped then.

"No, gone mother."

"But he was the great trader who conducted the contraband trade with Canada!" I cried. "I have heard of him. 'Twas he established the Dampier trail to enable him to supply the French for traders with goods to

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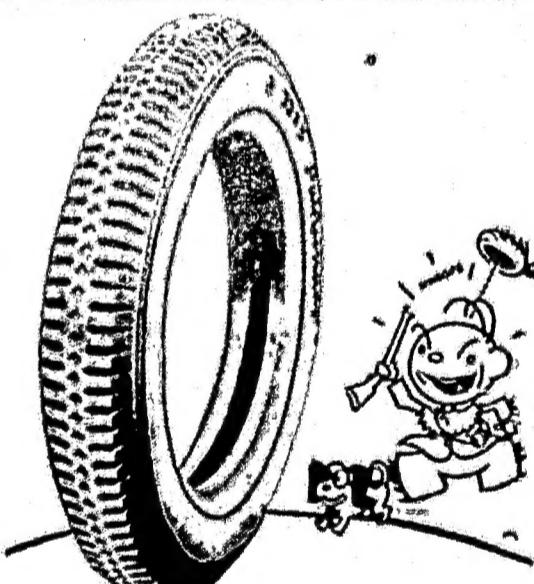
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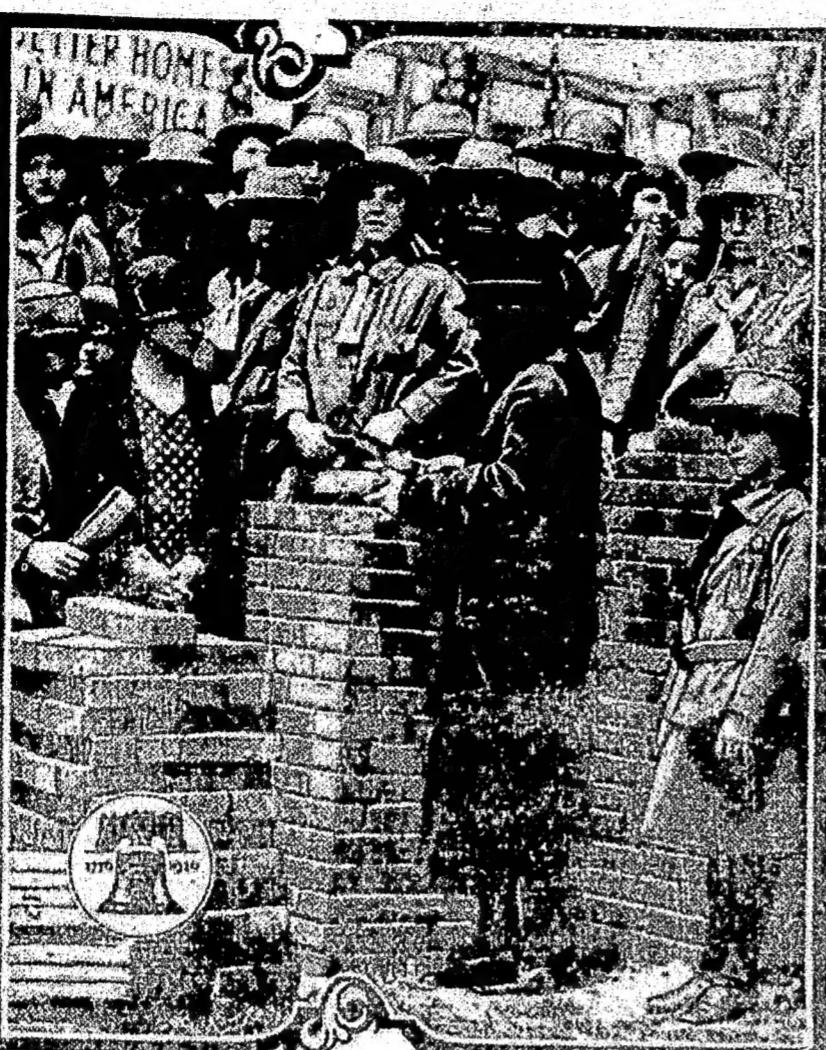
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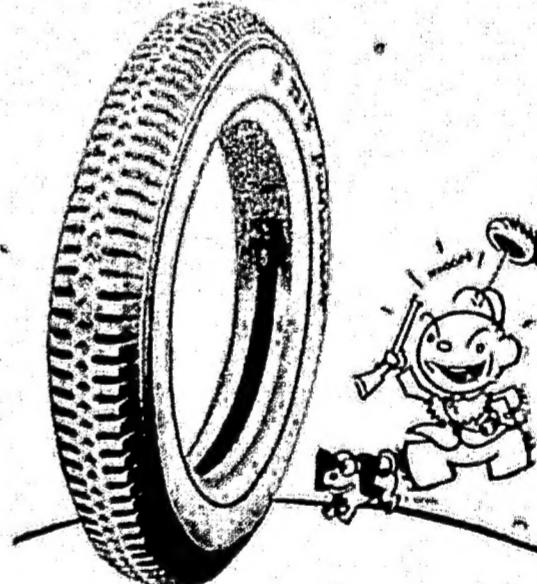
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Another portion of business is work in the building of houses at Bethel's large estate in farm property.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxine Walker, Maxine Walker and Raymond Hartness attended the meeting yesterday at the Bethel Fair, Thursday evening.

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THINGS YOU WANT TO KNOW

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Washington was a General; Monroe, a Captain; Jackson, a Major-General; W. H. Harrison, a General; Tyler, a Captain Taylor, a Major; Buchanan, a party officer; Lincoln, a Captain Pierce, a Brigadier-General; Grant, a General; Hayes, a Major-General; Garfield, a Major-General; Arthur, a Quartermaster-General; Benjamin Harrison, a Brigadier-General; McKinley, a Major; Roosevelt, a Colonel.

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Ex-President Roosevelt was shot and wounded at Milwaukee, October 14, 1912, and President Andrew Jackson was shot at the Capitol at Washington, D. C., January 29, 1835, but the bullet did not hit Jackson. Lincoln and McKinley were killed by assassins.

Q. Please give further particulars regarding white gold, and its composition. R. W. E.

White Gold may be one thing among jewelers, and another thing in its strict definition. In the Century Dictionary white gold is "an alloy of gold in which silver predominates, say 20 parts of silver to 4 of gold." And up to the minute definition seemed in the United States Bureau of Mints as follows: "White gold is an alloy of white gold, 75 to 85%, nickel 10 to 15%, zinc 2 to 9% according to Canadian patent of David Belaik, No. 338,028, February 11, 1919. As you will see, these combinations give a gold alloy of about the same content as the ordinary gold copper alloys used."

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Briefly stated the calendar proposed by the League of Nations would have thirteen months of 28 days in every year, the odd day being a holiday and uncounted. The League plan is said to possess the advantages of standardizing the length of months and making all business and social computations easier.

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The custom appears to have originated through touching wood upon occasions of happiness, in gratitude, of Christ, who was crucified on a wooden cross. The custom of knocking on wood is known to be looked upon as a means of protection.

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The South produces, according to the census of 1920, practically all of the country's output of cotton and cotton products, sugar cane and its products, peanuts, sulphur, three-quarters of the world's output, lacquer, phosphate rock, Fuller's earth, turpentine and resin and carbon black.

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EAST BETHEL

Mr. Leslie Rogers of Leslie's Mills has recently purchased the home farm of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Task and party of New York were recent guests of the doctors, J. A. Tracy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Macrine Peters of New York were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kettell.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Royfield joined Macrine Peters at Beloit Lake.

Mr. Elmer Head, teacher in the correspondence school of Stamford, was at the school here over the week end.

Mrs. Lester Tidbits and Mrs. George Rogers and family of Beloit were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Head.

Stomach So Bad Can't Even Eat Fruit

"The stomach was badly constipated and inclined with gas after eating. Could not eat fruit and many other things. Attributed this to no good care and anything," advises W. H. Purdys. Purdys remedies GAS and other things mentioning relief to the stomach. Drugs are a surprising amount of old waste scattered over the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxine Walker, Maxine Walker and Raymond Hartness attended the meeting yesterday at the Bethel Fair, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Darrow of Lincoln's Mills were sellers at Maxine Walker's, recent.

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THE FIDDLER'S BILL

Men are strange critters. Great groups of them have been hollering lustily for tax reduction ever since the war—the same war and the same men who helped to fight it. Lately, these same business men have been found of Secretary Mellon and the President because both of them have stood for tax reduction. Just as soon as one tax bill has been passed these "strange critters" have begun anew their campaign for further tax cuts. They tell the president how to fire a few thousand Government employees, and when you figure it out to them that this would mean only a fraction of a fraction of still another fraction of one per cent they say, dictatorially, though rather hopefully, "well, something else about it."

President Coolidge has flatly declared that he does not anticipate further tax reduction for several years. He recognizes the fact that for the wartime taxes in which the United States itself "lived" has to be paid. In discussing the remission of the French debt his answer to the pleaders was "well, if they hired the Fred Chandler delivered an inspiring

money, didn't they?" And the takes address. The pupils, followed by the

exactly the same position about paying

graduating class, were marched into

the United States itself "hired" gram was as follows:

TRANSPARENT WRAPPERS

Careful estimates place the amount of all merchandise in the retail stores

bought through appeal to the eye at 90

per cent of the total volume of sales.

This seems to indicate that the old game

of "sight and unseen" has become

obsolete at the store. When powder

puffs are seated in dainty wrappers to

protect them you may be sure that the

girls and their mamas do not propose to

take unnecessary chances with germs

and unhygienic toilet tools.

The triumph of the transparent wrap

per has been secured by a new chemi

cal product known as the Du Pont cel

lophane. In appearance it is similar, al

though of paper texture than the cover

devised for those priceless histori

cal documents, the Declaration of Inde

pendence and the Constitution of the

United States, which are to be seen,

thanks to these chemical achievements,

in the Congressional Library at Wash

ington. Celophane is a pure wood pulp

product produced in sheet form, and it

dually the beauty of a box of bon bon

wrapping within its folds. Manufacturers

and dealers in confections, foods,

drugs, and all other good things to eat

are completely sold to John Wesley's

idea that "cleanliness is indeed next

to godliness." Unwrapped and unpro

tected foods are becoming passe. Cheap

oil paper and smelly coverings no longer

satisfy the public. The critical pure

food experts employed by the Federal

and State governments unhesitatingly

express their appreciation and approval

of the new chemical paper wrapping.

Samples of the articles seen in Wash

ington show that it is as transparent as

glass, with a smooth surface and trans

parent gloss. This new product is al

most that contamination is imposs

ible and the freshness of its contents

is insured. Celophane is already in gen

eral use in the candy, confectionery, to

acco, and other trades. These include

articles of meat, provisions, drugs,

perfumes, toilet preparations, soap,

bakery products, envelopes, artificial

flowers, millinery, groceries, dried fruits

and nuts, hair dressers' supplies, wigs

and threads, surgical dressings, and

practically everything else including

lady's hosiery and lingerie.

CHICAGO'S BEWERS

Chicago has been battling with the

city for permission to carry out new

construction work and repairs along

the Chicago River for the purpose of

emptying its sewage into the Illinois

River. The trouble is that the with

drawal of water from Lake Michigan

into the river has been so enormous

that the two lakes have been lowered

six inches below their natural level.

Such parts as Beloit and Cleveland

claim that they will be affected, and

protests have been going to Washington

from the tip of Lake Superior all the

way down to the head of the Illinois

River. The Illinois will accommodate all